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 Slow-start packet scheduling particularly applicable to systems including a non-blocking switching fabric and homogeneous or heterogeneous line card interfaces

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